

NORRISTOWN MUNICIPALITY
Council Meeting
Tuesday, March 7, 2023
6:30 PM
Montgomery County Intermediate Unit 23
2 West Lafayette Street, 1st Floor, Norristown, PA 19401

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Moment of Silence / Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Motion to Approve Minutes
- V. Executive Session Announcement
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Public Comments
- VIII. Planning & Municipal Development
 - A. **Resolution 23-18: Request for Preliminary/Final Land Development Approval - Elmwood Park Zoo Welcome Center**
Request to grant preliminary/final land development approval to the Elmwood Park Zoo for a Welcome Center at 1661 Harding Blvd.
- IX. Fire
 - A. **Resolution 23-17: Requesting Municipal Council approval to apply for a Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant.**
To obtain a SAFER Grant to hire six additional fulltime firefighters to enhance the safety of our citizens.
 - B. **Resolution 23-16: Requesting Municipal Council approval to apply for Assistance to Firefighter (AFG) Grant**
To apply for and be awarded an Assistance to Firefighter Grant (AFG) to purchase a washer/extractor and turnout gear drying system in the amount of \$24,500.00
- X. Municipal Administrator
 - A. **Ordinance 23-01: Request Council Approval of a Franchise Renewal Agreement Between Verizon and the Municipality of Norristown**
Approve Ordinance 23-01 for the negotiated franchise renewal agreement between the Municipality and Verizon Pennsylvania LLC, which retains many of the benefits of the original agreement, despite recent challenges experienced by the cable industry.
 - B. **Municipal Council Motion to Approve Opioid Settlement CL-388028 Class Action Litigation Suit**
Municipal Council to approve "opt-in" participation in National Opioid Settlement CL-388028, against Teva, Allergan, CVS, Walgreens, Walmart as recommended by class action counsel to defer municipal related costs due to the Opioid crisis in Norristown.
- XI. Departmental Reports
 - A. **Monthly Updates to Council, on the February 2023, Activities within Presenting Departments: Police, Fire & Code**
- XII. Adjournment

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